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Utah, BYU, NM May Go

Eight Faculty Spokesmen Agree on New Conference

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—Faculty representatives and athletic directors of eight Western colleges reached basic agreement yesterday on formation of a new athletic conference.

They decided to leave the rest of the decision-making up to the individual school presidents.

The representatives met for five hours on the question of a new alignment involving Utah, New Mexico and Brigham Young University of the Skyline Conference, Arizona and Arizona State of the Border, and Oregon, Oregon State and Washington State of the old Pacific Coast Conference.

Afterwards they issued this statement:

"We unanimously agreed to request President A. Ray Olpin of the University of Utah to take the initiative in calling a meeting of their respective presidents for the purpose of taking action relative to the formation of a new athletic conference.

"It was further agreed that if the presidents should so desire, the faculty representatives and athletic directors would be available for consultation with the presidents at their meeting.

"We had a free exchange of views as to the various fundamental principles which in our opinions should be adopted in the framework of a new conference should the presidents decide to establish one. Among those fundamentals were uniform practices relative to financing and uniform scholastic standards for eligibility and to receive financial aid."

The faculty representatives and athletic directors said they preferred not to go into details beyond this statement, but there was no question that the new conference will be organized unless the presidents veto it.

Leo Harris, athletic director at the University of Oregon, said his school is booked through 1966 in football and that it probably would be 1967 before a formal league schedule could be drafted. However, Oregon has games during the next five years with most of the schools in the proposed new league.

The Skyline Conference has been on wobbly ground for months and there have been predictions it will formally break up at the next meeting in December.

The new conference—no name for it has ever been discussed—would extend from the Mexican border to the Canadian line and include competition in all sports.

Before Monday's meeting there was speculation that the Border and Skyline Conference schools stood four square in favor of a new alignment while the Northwest colleges might have second thoughts.

But afterwards it seemed clear Oregon, Oregon State and Washington State also heartily endorsed it.

Harris, speaking with reporters, said some alumni and friends of Oregon football have expressed themselves against the proposal, remembering the big days in the PCC, the Rose Bowl and the tieup with the major California schools.

Criticism of the new league in the Skyline areas has centered on the fact it leaves out Utah State and Wyoming.

While it could be as many as seven years before a formal conference schedule would be effective, Harris said this wouldn't necessarily preclude making a "bowl arrangement" before then.

It has been suggested that the new conference could sign a contract with one of the existing bowl promotions, or a new one, and pick a team to represent it.



PASSING IN REVIEW—Her majesty, Terry Stephenson, queen of Homecoming, right, smiles brightly as her float circles Dornblaser Field at half-time during the football game. Her court,

from left to right, are Mary Pat Sauerbier, Marlys Nelson, Lisette Bennett and Joyce Christensen.

(Kaimin Photo by Rolf Olson)

Homecoming Events Thrill Visiting Alums

By JOHN KAVANAGH

A beautiful Queen, a colorful parade, all led to enthusiasm of students and alumni at the 1960 Homecoming festivities.

Terry Stephenson, MSU senior from Butte, was crowned Homecoming Queen Friday evening at the traditional Singing-on-the-Steps ceremony at Main Hall. She received the crown and sceptre of her office from 1959 Homecoming Queen Barbara Lee, of Missoula.

Miss Stephenson will also carry the title of "Miss University" and act as official hostess for many occasions during the school year.

Five Montana State University graduates received the MSU Alumni Distinguished Service Award Friday night during the Homecoming Roundup program. President H. K. Newburn welcomed alumni and entertainment was furnished by the Jubileers, directed by Joseph Mussulman.

Alumni, honored by selection as the first recipients of the annual award, were Dr. Jessie M. Bier-

man, class of 1921; Judge George H. Boldt, class of 1925; Fred Buck, class of 1906; Jack Daniels, class of 1955 and Mrs. Dorothy R. Powers, class of 1943.

The 1960 Homecoming Parade Saturday morning featured colorful floats, bands and Homecoming Queen Terry Stephenson and her court.

Two alumni dignitaries in the parade were Mrs. Alice Reeve Stewart, the first freshman woman to register at MSU, and Jack Daniels, the only MSU athlete to compete in the Olympic Games.

Phi Sigma Kappa and Brantley Hall had the winning float in the Living Groups division of the parade. Phi Delta Theta and Delta Gamma were awarded second place

and Elrod Hall and Kappa Kappa Gamma took third place honors.

The Air Force ROTC topped entries in the Schools or Department-Pharmacy was second and the School of Forestry, third.

Highlighting Saturday's activities was the Grizzly's victory over Idaho Vandals, the first homecoming victory since 1954 when the Grizzlies picked off Utah State, 20-13.

Wrapping up Saturday's festivities was the Golden Anniversary Dinner for the class of 1910 in the Lodge and the Homecoming Ball at the Florence Hotel. The quarterbacks breakfast at the Florence Hotel Sunday morning ended a week end of Homecoming activities.

The Main Problem of Love

Bankson's Original 'Shellgame' Slated for Premiere Thursday

The Masquer Theater will open Thursday with "Shellgame," an original play by Douglas Bankson of the MSU drama department.

Called a domestic farce by its author, the play satirizes the various ways humans fool themselves about love. The chief problem encountered in love, the author contends, is the difficulty of communication.

"Shellgame" has a cast of four persons and two turtles. The show features Suzy Cook McKinnon, remembered best for her performance in last spring's production of "Oklahoma!"; Robert McKinnon, who last year was awarded the Masquer award for the best original play; Sara Grey, who received the 1960 Masquer award for the best student direction; and Wayne Veeneman, who played in the McKinnon award-winning one-act play, "Sport of Kings."

Technical direction for the production is handled by Richard James Jr., instructor in theater and speech.

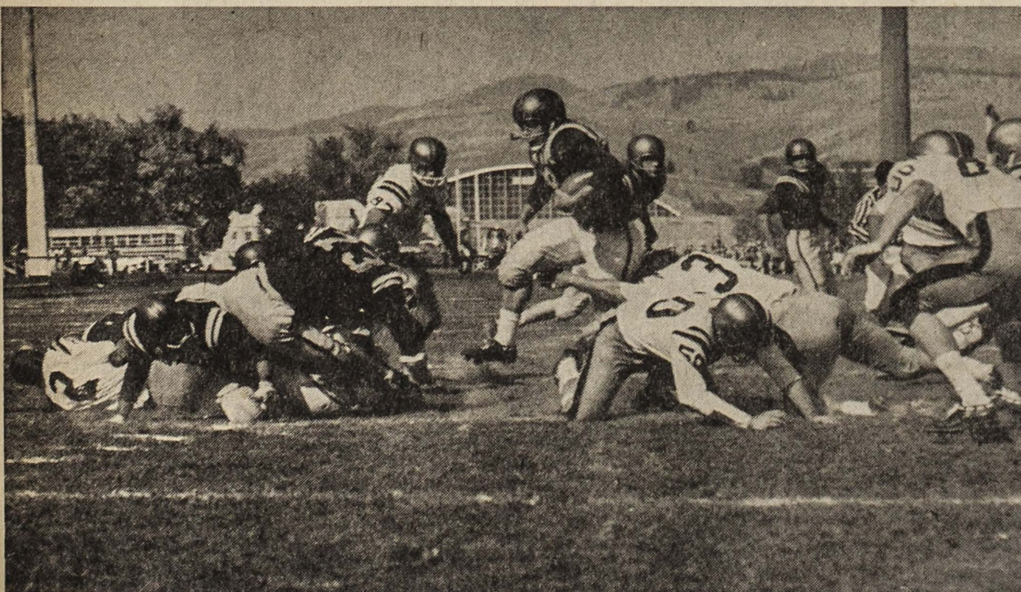
Season tickets for the plays this year are now on sale for \$2 with an activity card, individual admission is \$1.25, and all seats are reserved.

The box office opens at 12 noon daily during production week.

Four Undergrads Assist Research

Four undergraduates in the chemistry department will be working part time this year as laboratory research assistants for faculty members. These positions are financed by research grants obtained by the individual faculty members from various agencies. The students in addition are taking Chemistry 490 Problems and Research, to aid in becoming acquainted with research procedures. They will receive credit for the problems on which they are working.

The participants and their grants are: Gary A. Duvall under Prof. R. E. Juday, Public Health Service; William Jones under Prof. J. M. Stewart, American Chemical Society; Milton H. Snoeyenbos under Prof. R. K. Osterheld, The Research Corporation.



FIRST BLOOD—Grizzly linemen rip a hole in the University of Idaho line as MSU full-back Gary Smith bulls his way to the first score of the day in Montana's 18 to 14 win over Idaho.

Smith proved to be the Grizzly strongman Saturday, carrying the ball 25 times, for a 3.4 yard average.

(Kaimin Photo by Rolf Olson)

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The name Kaimin (pronounced Ki-meen) is derived from the Selish Indian word meaning "something written" or a "message."

First Workshop Set in TV Studio

A TV workshop open to all students interested in learning television operations will be held in the campus television studio today from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The session is designed to teach fundamentals to beginners and to give those with television experience more practice, according to Herbert Seiter, assistant professor of journalism and director of radio-television studios.

Students will learn television camera operation, audio operation, direction, switching, and lighting, he said, and plans will be started for a live MSU television series.

Students who cannot attend the first of the weekly sessions were asked to see Mr. Seiter, Room 302 in the Journalism Building. He said students who can attend only one hour of the two-hour session are welcome.

Applications Sought For Kaimin Positions

Applications for Kaimin associate editor and photographer are due Thursday noon, Frank Walsh, chairman of publications board, said.

Persons interested in applying for either of these positions should write a letter, giving qualifications and experience, and turn it in at the Lodge Desk. Both jobs pay \$15 a month.

Applicants for these positions must have a 2.0 grade point average overall. Applicants for associate editor must be journalism majors. Applicants for photographer need not be journalism majors.

Students who apply should be at the Publications Board meeting, Committee Room 2 of the Lodge, Thursday at 3:30 p.m., Walsh said.

Venture Seeks Art Editor Applications by Thursday

Venture needs an art editor.

Students who are qualified to do illustration and other art work may apply for the position by writing a letter giving qualifications and experience and turning it in to the Lodge Desk by Thursday noon.

Tina Bohlinger, Venture business manager, requests those submitting applications to bring samples of their work to the Publications Board meeting in Committee Room 2 of the Lodge at 3 p.m. Thursday. Applicants must have a "C" average.

Those who contributed to the last issue may pick up their manuscripts at the Venture office, Miss Bohlinger said.

Student Says Newsletter in Poor Taste

To the Kaimin:

As the alumni of MSU arrived on campus for Homecoming last Friday, they could justly feel a sense of pride as they looked over their alma mater. Beautiful lawns, improved roads, new buildings under construction. Yes, MSU certainly has changed since they were here.

But then, they were presented with a copy of the "Homecoming edition" of the "Pledge."

Maybe their idea of MSU's progress changed as they read, maybe they wondered if the students are now of a lower caliber than they used to be. After reading a copy of the "Independent publication" called the Pledge, maybe the alumni wondered of the material was the general opinion of independent students, since the Pledge was unsigned.

As an independent student, I feel that this paper reflects directly on me. I certainly do not entertain any of the Pledge's ideas or articles in either edition.

An independent newsletter is a fine idea and I am thankful that I am living where it is possible to print one. But the manner in which the Pledge is being presented is not only a discredit to the entire University, it is also hurting every independent on campus.

I urge that no support, financial or literary which they desperately need) be given to the Pledge.

BILL RUSIN

Well Worth Commending

Homecoming this weekend enthused approximately 700 alumni, filled Dornblaser to a bursting 8,000 and kept 4,000 students happily occupied.

Two students in particular helped in making both days of the festivities festive. Their names were mentioned during the Central Board meeting last Thursday night when James Eversole, band director, finished his request for uniforms by saying he wished to commend the chairmen of Homecoming, Jack Griffith and Marlys Nelson, for their cooperation in organizing the events. Central Board chimed in with praise too.

Now that the Little Brown Stein is home and we have a queen well worth watching, there remains but one thing to do. Hit the books and catch up brother, because tomorrow may be too late.

—ryho

Married Students Committee?

Married students at the University of Oregon have organized under the Student Union Board, the equivalent of ASMSU's Central Board, and formed a committee to give representation in student government. This committee makes it possible for married students to plan picnics, bowling nights and dances among themselves.

There should be no difficulty in setting up such a committee within the framework of ASMSU, provided married students like the idea. This is the second year the married students committee has existed at Oregon, and though it was not a howling success last year, Gerald Gates, the senatorial representative, seems to be getting it functioning this year.

It takes work, but it might be worth it at MSU.

—ryho

For Alumni to See

This weekend a wilder clique of students decided to use the Oval and a newly-seeded lawn, formerly a parking lot adjacent to the Lodge, as a drag-strip.

The Oval incident happened some time Friday night, long before the exuberant Grizzly football victory, and fortunately caused no damage.

The lawn next to the Lodge was ripped up in good fashion probably Saturday night, leaving deep tire ruts for visiting alumni to see. The driver swung from the driveway behind the Lodge, jumped his wheels over an eight-inch curb, plowed across the raked area for nearly 100 yards, swung back and returned to the driveway.

"Even if he was drunk," a professor passing by yesterday morning said, "I don't understand what he was trying to prove."

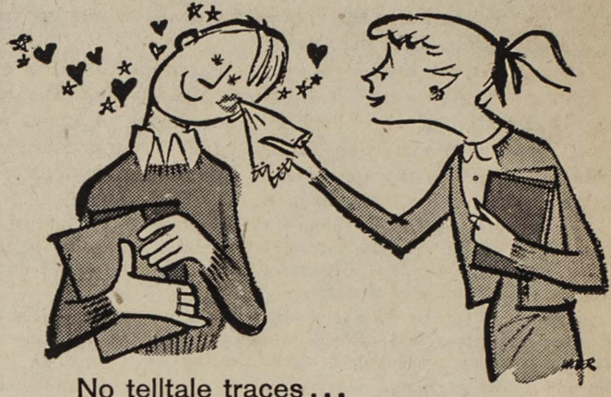
These hot-shot drivers represent a minority of students. Yet, to the alumni, they represent ASMSU. In view of the efforts to spruce up the campus, this was a poor showing indeed.

—ryho

Editorial Picture . . .



POOR SHOWING—Jim Fox, maintenance department, investigates damage to a newly-seeded lawn caused by a hot-rodder this weekend.




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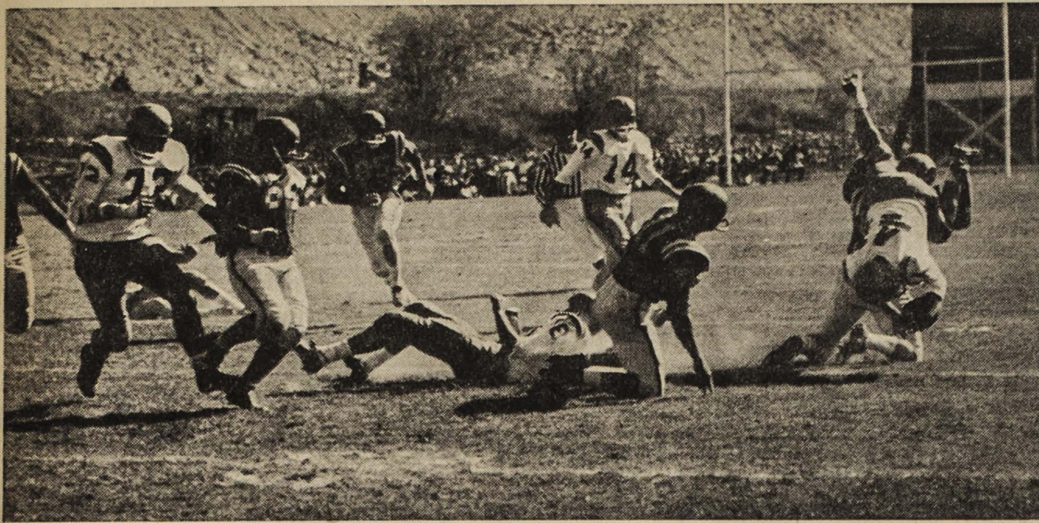


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IT GOT ROUGHER—An unidentified Grizzly tackler slams Idaho fullback Dick Mooney to the ground in the first half of MSU's Homecoming game. Grizzly quarterback Bob O'Billovich,

number 11, watches from his knees as John Matte, 64, and Howard Schwend, 85, rush towards the action.

(Kaimin Photo by Rolf Olson)

Sky Divers Begin Training Session At MSU Tonight

Fifty students turned out for the organizational meeting of the Montana State University Parachute Club held in the Lodge Sunday night.

Approximately 15 of the club's veterans outlined the group's regulations and procedures to be followed when the unit swings into its first training session tonight. Tonight's meeting will be at 7 in the Silverbow Room of the Lodge. It will be the last call for new men and women trainees.

The Sunday meeting ended with a discussion of the Saturday jump on Mt. Sentinel and films of jumps made by club members last winter.

The organization began last year to train novice jumpers for eventual sky diving. The beginning parachutists receive approximately three months of lectures and ground training before they take to the air. Five static line and five delayed fall parachute jumps precede acceptance as qualified club members.

The lecture tonight covers parachute nomenclature and operation. Ground training begins Sunday afternoon on the smokejumper training units at the aerial fire depot.

WRA Will Hold Gym Jam For All Women Students

WRA's Gym Jam kicks off Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the Women's Center gym. The Sig Ep German Band and a skit presenting officers and managers are on the program.

Every year, Women's Recreation Association holds this party to acquaint freshmen women and transfers with the organization.

All women students automatically become members. They can participate in any WRA-sponsored activities.

Volleyball, bowling, and an intramural swim meet are on WRA's fall schedule of sports.

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Aquamaid Trials Will Begin Today

Practice for potential Aquamaid members is Tuesday and Wednesday from 8 to 9:30 p.m. Freshmen and transfers interested in the women's water ballet group should attend as many of these practices as possible, according to Nancy Rice, president.

Late this quarter, the old members, who have been keeping swim-trim Tuesdays and Wednesdays also, will select new members.

The Aquamaids have scheduled their annual show for the first week of Spring quarter.

Thursday Deadline Ruled For Sentinel Applications

Students who wish to fill the remaining associate editor position on the '61 Sentinel have been given until noon Thursday to apply.

Applications must be written in letter form, giving qualifications and previous experience. Students must have a 2-point average in order to qualify. The letters should be turned in to the Lodge Desk no later than noon Thursday, according to Frank Walsh, Publications Board chairman.

Applicants should also appear at the Publications Board meeting in Committee Room 2 of the Lodge at 3 p.m. Thursday for interviews, Walsh said.

DEBATERS TO HEAR TALK BY ECONOMICS INSTRUCTOR

James Leonard, economics instructor, will address the University Debate and Oratory Association tomorrow evening on "The Basic Economics of Health Insurance."

The meeting, open to all interested persons, will be in LA 204 at 7 p.m.

College debaters this year will argue the proposition, "Resolved: That the United States should adopt a program of compulsory health insurance for all citizens."

Unbeaten Teams To Collide Today In Clover Bowl

Four undefeated Fraternity League touch football teams and one untested club will see action this afternoon in the Clover Bowl.

Sigma Nu, Phi Delta Theta, Sigma Chi and Sigma Alpha Epsilon all have 1 and 0 records. Alpha Tau Omega will face its first opponent of the 1960 season today.

SN won easily over SPE, 31-0, last week but may find rougher going in the game against ATO today. ATO finished near the top of the pack last year and could become definite contenders for the touch football crown by beating the strong SN team. SN and ATO meet at 4 p.m. on field 1.

SX and SAE both shut out their opponents last week by almost identical scores. Game time is 5 p.m. on field 1.

PDT, after an unimpressive 6 to 0 win over TX, will meet DSP at 4 p.m. on field 3.

PSK and SPE meet at 4 p.m. on field 2. Both clubs bring 0 and 1 records into the contest.

BIG BOUT POSTPONED

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Fullmer - Robinson middleweight championship fight was postponed until December because Fullmer has an ailing leg.

Law Association Invites Candidates

Vice President Richard M. Nixon and Senator John F. Kennedy have been invited to address University law students, according to Thomas Haney, president of the Law Students Association.

Montana candidates for governor, the Senate and Congress have also been invited to speak, Haney said.

Members of the Montana Democratic caravan will speak to a combined meeting of the Young Democrats and the Law Students Association on Tuesday, Oct. 11.

Donald Nutter, Republican candidate for governor, will speak to law students on Thursday, Oct. 20.

The law association's political program is non-partisan, Haney said. Its purpose is to acquaint future lawyers with members of the state and national government.

Ike Now Oldest President

WASHINGTON (AP)—Dwight D. Eisenhower became Monday the oldest man ever to serve as president of the United States.

Eisenhower takes over the oldest president distinction from Andrew Jackson. He will be 70 on Oct. 14.

Burgess Back From Meeting

Panel discussions on problems which have cropped up in past NDEA institutes were featured at the annual directors' meeting of the organization held last weekend in New York City.

R. M. Burgess, chairman of the foreign language department, returned to Missoula Sunday noon after attending the meeting.

Problems discussed at the meeting included length of classes, number of class periods and screening of applicants. It was also noted that in some cases teachers attending institutes were given material too rapidly for efficient assimilation, Mr. Burgess said.

Next year the institute at MSU will be able to accept 52 teachers for study, Mr. Burgess said.

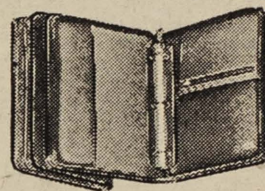
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Law Seniors To Compete At Regional

Three Montana State University Law School seniors were selected Saturday to represent MSU in the regional moot court competition at Salem, Ore., in mid-November.

The three, Douglas Allen of Three Forks, Eugene Brown of Great Falls and A. Evon Anderson of Fort Benton, were winners in an elimination contest conducted Saturday morning in the music Recital Hall. They were awarded cash prizes by the Montana Bar Association.

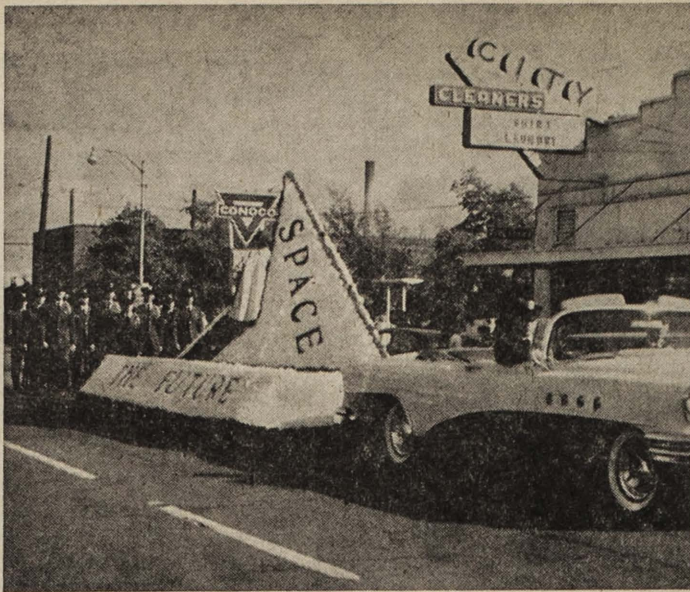
The problem argued concerned an appellate argument before the U. S. Supreme Court regarding unfair labor practice charges brought by the National Labor Relations Board. It was based on an actual case that was decided by the Supreme Court last February.

The moot court team will compete against teams from the University of Washington, the University of Idaho and Willamette University, last year's national champions. They will meet Idaho in the first round of the regional competition.

They will vie with these teams for a chance to represent the region in the national finals in New York City in December.

Judges for the elimination contest Saturday were Stanley Doyle of Polson, president of the Montana Bar Association; Largey McDonald of Butte, member of the Anaconda Company's legal staff, and Patrick H. Walker of Seattle, regional attorney for the National Labor Relations Board.

Coach Bob Devaney, who begins his fourth football season at Wyoming this fall, has a 21-7-3 record in his first three years with the Cowboys.



WINNING SPACEMEN—AFOTC's float committee, headed by Walt Cherry, M. S. Myerhow, Ed Taylor and Leland Felix, captured top honors for having the float best depicting the theme, Gateway to the Future. Marching directly behind are the Senior Cadet Officers. (Photo by La Vera Waring)

Frosh and New Students Complete Health Exams

The health service reports that 1200 freshman and transfer students have had their physical examinations. Only a few transfer students still have appointments.

Polio shots will be available to students desiring them this year, at a cost of 50 cents a shot.

YOU ASK A FOOLISH QUESTION, GET A . . .

Traipsing around the freshmen women's dorm while working on a recent story, a Kaimin reporter questioned a 5'3", blue-eyed, brunette specimen of its residents.

"What do you think of your Junior Sponsor?"

"Junior Sponsor," Specimen replied, "Is that the tall, good-looking fellow who . . . ?"

Calling U . .

Theta Sigma Phi—noon, committee room 3, old members and pledges.

Budget & Finance—4 p.m., committee room 2.

Parachute Club—7 p.m., Silver Bow Room, old members and trainees.

Bearpaws—7 p.m., committee room 4.

Debate and Oratory—Wednesday 7-9 p.m., LA 204.

Masquers—Wednesday noon, Territorial Rooms.

Garbage Truck Riders Indoctrinate New Troops

Kams and Dregs tapped 10 members from each living group Saturday morning to bring their "cut-up" force to full strength.

The group also participated in the Homecoming Parade with members perched on a garbage truck. Dressed in traditional sloppy white shirts and jeans, they cheered the Grizzlys with their original chants.

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